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TALKING POINTS FOR PROJECTS TO BE VISITED.

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1. FOLLOWING ARE TALKING POINTS SUGGESTED FOR EACH PROJECT SITE
MISS LILLIAN IS TO VISIT.
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2. WHEN MEETING THE DIRECTOR AND STAFF OF THE WOMEN'S TRAINING
CENTER (CENTRE DE FORMATION FEMININE), MISS LILLIAN MAY WISH TO
POST QUESTIONS ALONG THESE LINES:
--THE ORIGIN OF THIS CONCEPT OF TRAINING FOR YOUNG VOLTAN
WOMEN.
--FINANCIAL SUPPORT FOR THE CENTER'S OPERATION.

- THE EXTENT TO WHICH THE CENTER IS SELF-FINANCING FROM THE REVENUES OF GOODS PRODUCED AND SOLD THERE.
- THE CONTRIBUTIONS, IF ANY, OF STUDENTS TO THE COSTS OF THEIR TRAINING.
- HOW STUDENTS ARE SELECTED FOR TRAINING AT THE CENTER.
- HOW STUDENTS WILL USE THEIR SKILLS AFTER LEAVING THE CENTER.
- THE PROVISIONS MADE FOR STUDENTS TO PURSUE THEIR ACADEMIC STUDIES WHILE IN TRAINING AT THE CENTER.
- THE EXTENT AND KIND OF CONTACT THE CENTER MAINTAINS WITH STUDENTS AFTER THEY LEAVE THEIR TRAINING.
- PLANS FOR THE FUTURE OF THE CENTER.

QUESTIONS TO THE STUDENTS MIGHT BE ALONG THESE LINES:

- THEIR REGIONAL ORIGINS, OCCUPATIONS OF FAMILIES, ETC.
- HOW THEY CAME TO BE SELECTED FOR TRAINING AT THE CENTER.
- THE NATURE AND DURATION OF THEIR TRAINING IN HANDICRAFTS AT THE CENTER.
- THE NATURE OF THEIR PARALLEL ACADEMIC STUDIES AT THE CENTER.
- THEIR SOCIAL AND/OR RELIGIOUS LIFE WHILE IN TRAINING AT THE CENTER.
- THEIR CAREER GOALS AFTER TRAINING AT THE CENTER.

3. WHEN MEETING THE DIRECTOR AND STAFF OF THE TRAINING CENTER FOR RURAL ARTISANS (CNPAR), MISS LILLIAN MAY WISH TO POSE QUESTIONS ALONG THESE LINES:
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- THE HISTORY OF THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE CENTER.
- THE SOURCE OF FUNDING FOR THE CENTER.
- THE GOALS OF THE CENTER.
- THE TYPES OF MATERIALS AND TOOLS THE TRAINEES LEARN TO MAKE AT THE CENTER.
- THE NATURE AND DURATION OF THE TRAINING PROGRAMS AT THE CENTER.
- THE OBLIGATIONS OF TRAINEES AFTER FINISHING THEIR WORK AT THE CENTER.
- THE EXTENT OF CONTACT THE CENTER MAINTAINS WITH STUDENTS AFTER THEY FINISH THEIR TRAINING AT THE CENTER.
- PLANS FOR CENTER EXPANSION OR NEW PROGRAMS.

QUESTIONS TO THE TRAINEES MIGHT BE ALONG THESE LINES:

- HOW THEY CAME TO ENTER THE TRAINING PROGRAM AT THE CENTER.
- THE SPECIAL SKILLS THEY ARE LEARNING AT THE CENTER.
- THEIR CAREER GOALS AFTER TRAINING.

4. WHEN MEETING THE DIRECTOR AND STAFF OF THE NATIONAL ARTS CENTER, MISS LILLIAN MAY WISH TO ASK QUESTIONS ALONG THESE LINES:
--THE ORIGINS OF THE ARTS CENTER.

- THE GOALS OF THE CENTER.
- THE CONTRIBUTIONS PEACE CORPS VOLUNTEERS AND OTHER AMERICANS HAVE MADE TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE CENTER.
- THE TYPES OF ART AND ARTIFACTS PRODUCED AT THE CENTER.
- THE TYPES OF ART WHICH ORIGINATED AT THE CENTER AND ARE NOW PART OF THE SPECTRUM OF VOLTA ARTIFACTS.
- THE ROLE OF THE CENTER IN PROMOTING THE PRODUCTION OF ARTIFACTS AT THE VILLAGE LEVEL FOR COMMERCIAL SALES.
- THE ROLE OF THE CENTER IN MAKING VOLTA ART KNOWN IN OTHER COUNTRIES INCLUDING THE UNITED STATES.
- THE FUTURE OF THE ARTS CENTER.

5. WHEN VISITING THE CISSIN MODEL VILLAGE PROJECT ON THE OUTSKIRTS OF OUAGADOUGOU, MISS LILLIAN MAY WISH TO RAISE QUESTIONS ALONG LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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THESE LINES:

- THE ORIGIN OF THE IDEA FOR A MODEL VILLAGE OF THIS KIND.
- THE EXISTENCE AND RESULTS OF OTHER SUCH MODEL VILLAGE EXPERIMENTS IN UPPER VOLTA OR NEIGHBORING COUNTRIES.
- A DESCRIPTION OF THE AVERAGE RESIDENT OF CISSIN VILLAGE, HIS OR HER INCOME LEVEL, FAMILY SIZE, ETC.
- WHAT SERVICES ARE AVAILABLE TO RESIDENTS INCLUDING SCHOOLS, MEDICAL CLINICS, PHARMACIES, ETC.
- PLANS FOR EXPANSION OF CISSIN VILLAGE.
- PLANS FOR ESTABLISHMENT OF OTHER MODEL VILLAGES IN UPPER VOLTA. KILLION

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